

Exhibit 5: The October 18, 2007, “Safety Deposit Box” Letter from Wilson Copeland

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Re: Deputy Chief Gary A. Brown and Police Officer Harold C. Nelthrope
-vs- Jerry A. Oliver, Sr., Chief of Police, Kwame Kilpatrick, Mayor,
City of Detroit, Robert Berg, Media Consultant to the City of Detroit,
and the City of Detroit, a Municipal Corporation, Jointly & Severally
C/A No: 03-317-557-NZ

Dear Mr. Stefani:

Pursuant to discussions held last evening in your office, inquiry has been made into the securing of a safety deposit box for housing documents that will ultimately be released by you secondary to the formal closing of this case.

Efforts to contact you by telephone this morning have proved unsuccessful and I have yet to receive a response to my voice mail request that was left wherein I asked that you contact me – hence, this e-mail.

I am available in my office until 1 p.m., after which time I must depart for Ann Arbor, however, I will be available by cell phone at (313) 575-2301. Mr. McCargo will be available in his office by phone after 2 p.m. today.

It is our request that you contact one of us so as to arrange for transfer of the aforementioned items to the Main Branch of the Chase Bank, located at Woodward and Congress, preferably this afternoon. We will, of course, absorb any costs associated with the securing of this safety deposit box and it is our intention to have you and one of us serve as co-signatories on the account.

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Michael L. Stefani, Esq.

It is understood that the documents will be released to a representative of defendants at the time this matter has been formally approved.

Please contact the undersigned or Mr. McCargo as quickly as possible upon receipt of this communication.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely yours,

GRIER, COPELAND & WILLIAMS, P. C.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'WILSON A. COPELAND, II', with a stylized flourish at the end.

WILSON A. COPELAND, II

WAC/pdr
Enclosure

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